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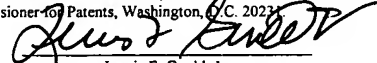
Re: Application of: S. TAYLOR, ET AL.

International Application No. PCT/GB2004/001218

International Filing Date: 22/MARCH/2004

U.S. Serial No: 10/550,368

Filed: 09/19/2005

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Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231  
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December 19, 2005  
DateINFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith is an Information Disclosure Statement pursuant to 37 CFR. § 1.56 in  
connection with the above-identified application, which statement is being filed:

- ☐ Together with the present application.
- ☒ Before the first Office Action on the merits or three (3) months from the filing  
date of this application, whichever occurs last. [37 CFR § 1.97(b)]
- ☐ After the first Office Action on the merits, but before a Final Office Action under  
§1.113 or Notice of Allowance under §1.311, whichever occurs first. [37 CFR §  
1.97(c)]
- ☐ After a Final Office Action under §1.113 or Notice of Allowance under §1.311,  
but prior to or with payment of the Issue Fee. [37 CFR § 1.97(d)]

Consistent with Applicant's obligations pursuant to 37 CFR §§1.97 and 1.98, the  
following requirements have been met:

☐ No separate requirements are needed.

☒ No additional fee is required.

☐ **Fee Under 37 CFR § 1.97©**

The fee of \$240.00 for submission of an IDS under § 1.97© as set forth in § 1.17(p) accompanies this statement.

☐ **Petition Under 37 CFR § 1.97(d)**

This is a petition requesting consideration of an IDS under § 1.97(d). The petition fee of \$130.00 set forth in § 1.17(i)(1) accompanies this petition.

☐ **Certification Under 37 CFR § 1.97(e)**

Each item of information contained in this statement was either

- (1) cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this statement; or
- (2) not known to any individual designated in § 1.56© more than three months prior to the filing of this statement.

**Provision of Copies of References**

☒ A copy of each foreign reference listed on the attached Form PTO-1449A is enclosed herewith and forms a part hereof. Copies of U.S. references are not required.

☐ A partial translation of Reference \_\_\_\_ is enclosed herewith and forms a part hereof.

☐ A copy of the European Search Report from a corresponding European patent application No. \_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed herewith.

☐ A copy of the Search Report from a corresponding or related German application is enclosed herewith.

☒ A copy of the International Search Report from the related International Application No. PCT/GB2004/001218 is enclosed herewith.

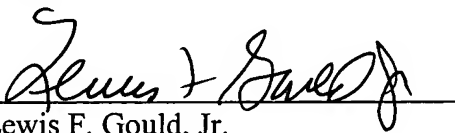
**Identification of Prior Application(s) In Which Listed Information Was Already Cited And For Which No Copies Are Submitted Or Need Be Submitted**

- [ ] This application relies, under 35 U.S.C. § 120, on the earlier filing date of prior Application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed on \_\_\_\_\_. The following references were submitted to, and/or cited by, the Office in the prior application(s) and therefore are not required to be provided in this application:
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account No. 04-1679**. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Date:

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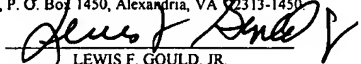
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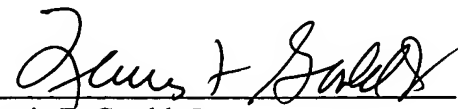
Pursuant to the Duty of Disclosure set forth in 37 CFR 1.56, the materials listed on the enclosed for PTO-1449 are hereby brought to the attention of the Examiner. A copy of each foreign reference is enclosed.

The claimed invention is believed patentable over the enclosed references. No representations are made regarding the references other than those set forth above.

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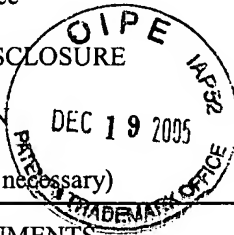
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